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PATENT APPLICATION

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TITLE: Method and System for
Interleaving OCR and ABL
for Automated Mail Sorting

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Enclosed are the following papers relating to the above-named application for patent:

Application - 13 pages of Specification, 4 pages of Claims and 1 page of Abstract
4 Sheets of informal drawing(s)
Declaration and Power of Attorney (unexecuted)
A Certified Copy of Foreign Application for which priority is claimed (European Patent Application No. 99115962.5, filed August 11, 1999)
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Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if applicable			\$260 =	\$0
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